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With reference to
para 3 of the above,
I have the honor to state
that the terms of the
Ganja Contract of the
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and Civil and Military
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expires by the 31st March 1886, and as tenders
should be invited for the contract for the en-
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Vide rules in the Rev Dept 16/6

To

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The Sub-Treasurer

The Comptroller

The Supt. Central Jail

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

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PROCEEDINGS.

Dated 27th February 1885.

Framing Rules for regulating and re tricting the cultivation, possession, sale ar export of ganja.

Mysore Government Press, Bangalore.—10-3-85—80

Proceedings of the Dewan to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, (Revenue),—dated 27th February 1885.

Proceedings No. 147, dated 24th November 1884.

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CAMP NO. 212, DATED MYSORE, 27TH FEBRUARY 1885.

ORDER THEREON.—The existing arrangements in regard to the farming of ganja sales in the different Districts of the Province are unsatisfactory and require to be placed on a uniform footing. In the Bangalore and Mysore Districts alone, the ganja farm is worked under the "Minimum Guarantee system". In other Districts the farm is either sold annually to the highest bidder or licenses are issued to retail vendors upon payment of a nominal fee therefor. The revenue derived under this system and from license fees is inconsiderable.

2. At present the cultivation of ganja in the Province is not regulated by any rules, and its restriction is essential to the development of the Government revenue. Under these circumstances, it is considered advisable to frame rules for regulating and restricting the cultivation, possession, sale, import and export of the drug, and the rules published in Notification No. 229, dated 27th February 1885, have accordingly been issued by His Highness' Government for the guidance of all concerned. Deputy Commissioners and Sub-Division Officers are requested to give due publicity to these rules.

3. With a view to introduce a uniform system throughout the Province, the Government resolve to farm the monopoly of the sale of ganja in all the Districts to the Ganja contractor of the Bangalore District upon the minimum guarantee system for three years from 1st April 1885 to 31st March 1888. The present contract for the Bangalore District does not expire till 31st March 1886, and in order that the farmer for the whole Province may have a fair prospect of profit, it is necessary that the contract should be for 3 years. The minimum revenue to be guaranteed by the contractor shall be fixed at Rs. 3,080 as shown in the margin, and 25 per cent of the actual sales in excess of the guaranteed minimum shall be paid by the contractor to Government at the end of each year. The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District will arrange with the contractor of the Bangalore District for the extension of his contract for the Bangalore District for two years from 1st April 1886 to 31st March 1888 and for the execution of an agreement in the accompanying form within the 15th of March next, and, when the agreement is executed, intimate the fact to the Deputy Commissioners and Sub-Division Officers concerned. The contractor must distinctly understand that the extension as regards the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, is subject to the consent of the Resident to the proposed new arrangement, and that the additional security required from him, if he accepts the new arrangement subject to the above condition, is Rs. 770—0—0. If at the end of the present contract for the Bangalore District, the Resident desires a separate arrangement for the Civil and Military Station, the minimum guarantee amount for the remainder of the Bangalore District will be fixed with reference to the sales for the year 1885—86.

	Rs.
Mysore District including French Rocks Sub-Division ..	1,920
Shimoga District ...	740
Kolar District ...	200
Kadur District, including Hassan Sub-Division ...	188
Tumkur District, including Chitaldroog Sub-Division ...	32
Total...	3,080

4. Should the Bangalore contractor be unwilling to take up the monopoly for the whole Province upon the above terms, the Deputy Commissioner will advertize for tenders as early as possibly.

5. Deputy Commissioners and Sub-Division Officers are requested to apply to the Superintendent of the Government Press for forms of licenses, wholesale and retail, to the Head Supervisor, Bangalore, for forms of account and permit books for wholesale and retail shops, and for weights required for distribution. The Superintendent of the Central Jail will be requested to have the weights (of which samples will be furnished by the Head Supervisor) made up at the Central Jail. The cost of these weights will be paid by the vendors to whom they will be supplied.

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Sub-Division Officers.
The Comptroller.
The Superintendent, Central Jail.

Proceedings of the Dewan to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, (Revenue),—dated 27th February 1885.

NOTIFICATION.

229. *The 27th February* 1885.

Under Section 40 of the Excise Act X of 1871, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja hereby frame the following rules for the guidance of all concerned.

I. No ryot or other person shall cultivate hemp in the Territories of Mysore without a patta or license (*vide* Form A appended) which may be obtained free from the Amildar of the Taluk in which such cultivation is intended to be carried on.

II. No ganja shall be sold to any person other than the farmer appointed by Government or his recognized agent without the special permission of the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer as the case may be. When ganja is sold to the farmer, he shall obtain a pass from the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer for the removal of the drug from the place of sale to his depôt. The contract to be entered into with the farmer will be in the appended Form B, by the terms of which he shall be bound to abide.

III. When any cultivator of ganja or any person legally in possession of the same desires to export it beyond the Territories of Mysore, he shall apply to the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer who will issue a special pass for the purpose, free of charge, in communication with the Collector of the District to which the export is to be made.

IV. The Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer may permit the farmer to import ganja from beyond the Territories of Mysore, under passes to be issued by him in communication with the authorities of the District from which the article is imported.

V. The Excise officers appointed under Act X of 1871 may, under such rules as may be passed by Government from time to time, take such measures as may be necessary to ascertain and check the quantity of ganja in the possession of licensed cultivators of hemp. The said cultivators shall be allowed to retain only 14 lbs. of ganja for home consumption.

VI. Licenses for the retail vend of ganja shall be issued by the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer in such form as may be prescribed by Government from time to time. No fee shall be levied for such license except in the Towns of Bangalore and Mysore where a fee of three rupees and one rupee per mensem respectively shall be charged for each license.

VII. All articles confiscated under the Excise Act X of 1871 shall be made over to the Magistrate or such other officer as the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer shall appoint to receive them. All intoxicating drugs liable to confiscation and which have been confiscated according to the provisions of the Act, may be destroyed or may be sold to the Government Farmer at such reasonable rates as may be approved of by the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer.

VIII. The proceeds of the sale of such confiscated articles may be credited to Government in whole or in part as may be directed by the Magistrate dealing with the case, who may award the whole or any part thereof to the informer or Excise officer at whose instance conviction and confiscation followed.

IX. The wholesale and retail prices at which ganja and majum shall be sold are hereby fixed as under :—

		In the Towns of Bangalore and Mysore. Prices per Seer. Annas.	In the rest of the Province. Prices per Seer. Annas.
Ganja ..	Wholesale	10	9
	Retail	13	12
Majum ..	Wholesale	4	4
	Retail	6	6

Form C—Pass for import of ganja.
Form D—Pass for export of ganja.
Form E—Pass for transport of ganja.
Form F—Renter's pass for ganja sent to depôts.
Form G—Pass for removal of ganja from depôts to retail shops.
Form H—Wholesale License.
Form I—Retail License.
Form J—Depôt Ledger Book.
Forms K and L. Account of daily sales of ganja and majum at wholesale depôts.
Form M—Retail shop account book.

X. The forms of licenses, accounts, passes, &c. hereunto appended as noted in the margin are hereby prescribed for adoption.

XI. All persons not legally authorized to have ganja in their possession shall declare the quantity in their possession to the Amildar of the Taluk in which they reside and obtain a permit from that officer to retain it. If the drug is fit for human consumption, they shall, within 3 months from 1st April 1885, sell it to the Government Ganja Contractor, or export it beyond the Territories of Mysore under cover of a pass under Rule III above. If unfit for human consumption, it shall be destroyed by order of the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Division Officer.

XII. These rules shall come into effect from 1st April 1885.

By Order,

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

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Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

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The Sub-Div officers for export.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

REVENUE.

PROCEEDINGS.

Dated 24th November 1884.

Camp No. 147.

Directing the grant of certain concessions to the Gánjá Contractors of the Bangalore District.

Mysore Government Press, Bangalore.—12-12-84.—80.

Proceedings of the Dewan to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, (Revenue),—dated 24th November 1884.

READ—

Letter No. 299 of the 24th June 1884 from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, forwarding Head Supervisor Mr. McDonnell's memorandum on Gánjá sales.

Bangalore Deputy Commissioner's letter No. 481, dated 13th August 1884.

Do No. 561, dated 6th September 1884.

Do No. 727, dated 13th October 1884.

Do No. 743, dated 18th October 1884.

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CAMP NO. 147, DATED MYSORE, 24TH NOVEMBER 1884.

ORDER THEREON.—From the papers above read, the Dewan is satisfied that the Gánjá contractors of the Bangalore District are working their contract at a loss. They have expressed their inability to continue to work under the present arrangements and are prepared to resign the business, forfeiting the amount deposited by them under the terms of their contract. The Deputy Commissioner considers it unprofitable and troublesome for the Government to take the gánjá sales into its own hand. The minimum guarantee system, which was introduced last year, has many advantages which it is very desirable to secure. Under such circumstances and in consideration of the large minimum revenue guaranteed by the present contractors, the Dewan is pleased to sanction the following concessions in their favor, in accordance with the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner.

(*a*). The wholesale and retail prices per seer for gánjá will be increased by 2 annas and those for majum by 1 anna in the Town and the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and the prices in the rest of the Bangalore District for both gánjá and majum will be similarly increased by one anna, as shown below:—

Particulars.	Bangalore Town and Station per seer.		Remainder of the Bangalore District per seer.	
	Present Rate.	Increased Rate now sanctioned.	Present Rate.	Increased Rate now sanctioned.
Wholesale rate for Gánjá	8	10	8	9
Retail rate for do	11	13	11	12
Wholesale rate for Majum	3	4	3	4
Retail rate for do	5	6	5	6

The Head Supervisor, Central Distillery, Bangalore, will cause the existing weights to be altered so as to correspond with the rates of price above sanctioned. These rates provide for costs and profit to the contractors at $2\frac{3}{4}$ annas per seer for gánjá and at 1 anna per seer for majum, and for a Government duty of $7\frac{1}{4}$ annas for gánjá and 3 annas for majum. Calculated on the sales during the last year, these rates will secure to the contractors a profit of more than Rs. 1,000 for the whole District per annum.

(*b*). The contractors will be allowed to open wholesale shops for sale of gánjá at the arrack wholesale depôts, and no license fee shall be charged for such shops. This will, it is believed, enhance the sales by placing the drug within easy access of the retail vendors.

(*c*). No license fee shall be charged on account of the gánjá retail shops situated outside the limits of the Town and the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore. This will be an inducement for the opening of fresh retail shops.

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2. The contractors' request for a reduction in the minimum amount guaranteed cannot be sanctioned, nor can the Government claim for 25 per cent on the excess sales be waived. The contractors themselves are responsible for the loss complained of, for, it was entirely owing to their remissness in not purchasing the drug in the proper season. All arrears due by them should be recovered at once, and they should be warned that failure in this respect will entail the withdrawal of the concessions now sanctioned.

3. Provision will be made in the Gánjá Rules shortly to be issued for regulating the cultivation of gánjá under special pattas and for its export under passes. Pending the issue of these rules, the Deputy Commissioners and Sub-Division Officers are requested to warn the cultivators of gánjá that the sale of the drug to any person other than the Government Gánjá renter is illegal.

4. The appended forms of wholesale and retail licenses of accounts to be kept by retail vendors, of permits for removal of gánjá from Government renters, and of diaries and accounts to be submitted by Inspecting officers are hereby prescribed for adoption. The cost of printing the forms required by the renters and retail vendors will be borne by them.

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
Other Deputy Commissioners for information with reference to para 3.
The Sub-Division Officers with reference to para 3.

DRAFT GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of the Excise Act XXII of 1881 as amended by Act VI of 1885 and extended to Mysore by Regulation III of 1885, the Government of His Highness the Maharajah hereby sanction the introduction of the following Rules in substitution of and in addition to the Rules published in Notification No. 229 dated 27th February 1885; and also direct that the powers exercised by Deputy Commissioners and Sub Division officers under the said notification, will henceforth be exercised by the Excise Commissioner.

PART I.

Definition of Ganja.

1. For the purposes of these Rules, the Hemp plant may be taken to be that generally known as the *Cannabis Sativa* of Linn; and what is termed in Hindustani *Ganja*; Kanarese, *Bhangi Soppu*; Tamil, *Ganja yale*; Telugu, *Bhangi Aku.* But as there are several varieties of the Indian Hemp, each and every such variety shall be taken to be included in, and as falling under, these Rules. Appendix A contains a paper describing Ganja and its preparations as used in Southern India, its character, analysis, actions and uses; also the botany of the hemp plant and the value of the fibre derived from it.

PART II.

2. Under sections 11, 13, and 55 of the Excise Act the following rules are framed to regulate and restrict:—

(*a*) the cultivation of the Hemp plant;

(*b*) the export of Ganja;

(*c*) the import of Ganja;

(*d*) the preparation of intoxicating drugs from Ganja; and

(*e*) the realization of duty leviable in respect of these drugs.

(*a*) Cultivation of Ganja hemp plant restricted.

(1) The cultivation of the Hemp plant (Ganja) in the Mysore Province is forbidden, except under Pattas issued by the Excise Commissioner under his seal and signature, and subject to the restrictions and reservations imposed in the rules laid down in such Patta, and under such further rules as the Excise Commissioner may prescribe from time to time to meet the local wants of each place, or the particular circumstances of each case.

(2) The Government Ganja Contractor, with the written permi of the Excise Commissioner, and under the conditions above stated, may cultivate Ganja required for consumption in this Province or for export.

Contractor may cultivate Ganja under Patta.

(3) The form of Patta and the rules to be observed in connection therewith, shall be as set forth in form B appended to these Rules.

Patta.

(4) Applications for land for the cultivation of hemp (Ganja) should state whether it is intended to raise the plant for Ganja or for fibre. These applications should be made to the Amildar of the Taluk, who after satisfying himself as to the respectability of the applicant, will submit the usual report to the Deputy Commissioner, by whom if no objection exists, it will be forwarded to the Excise Commissioner for the issue of a special Patta in the form prescribed in these Rules.

Applications for land.

(5) The Taluk and village officials will be held primarily responsible for any clandestine cultivation of Ganja, and severe notice will be taken of any negligence. When clandestine cultivation is discovered, the Officer of Government investigating the case shall, in the presence of a Panchayet, uproot the plants, and hand over the same to the custody of the village Potail or nearest Police Station for safe keeping and production as evidence before a Magistrate, when required. It will be the duty of the Taluk and village officials to give immediate information to the officers of the Excise Department of any attempt to evade the rules laid down by the Excise Commissioner and the conditions prescribed in the Patta. Additional vigilance will be necessary at the time the crop is ready to be picked, to guard against its fraudulent disposal.

Responsibility of Taluk and Village Officers defined.

(6) The Deputy Commissioners, Assistant Commissioners and Amildars will explain the Ganja Rules to the ryots, and during the Jamabundy and in their tours, carefully note and punish breaches of these rules.

Duty of Deputy Commissioners &c.

(7) Every application for permission to export Ganja shall be made to the Excise Commissioner. On the receipt of such application, the Excise Commissioner will cause Passes in form C to be prepared in triplicate, and will transmit them to the Collector or other officer empowered in this behalf in Her Majesty's or other Foreign Territory, with a request that he will be good enough to sign and seal the triplicate copies of the Pass and return them to the Excise Commissioner. On their arrival, the Excise Commissioner will countersign and seal them. The original will be retained for reference in the Excise Commissioner's office, the duplicate will be delivered to the applicant to accompany the drugs in transit, and the triplicate will be sent to the Collector or such other officer as aforesaid, with a request that he will note on it the date of the arrival of the drug, and return it to the Excise Commissioner, retaining in his office for reference and check the duplicate which accompanies the drug.

(b) Export of Ganga.

When it is deemed necessary to import Ganja into Mysore, a pass i
orm D, shall issue in duplicate. The original pass sha
e signed and sealed by the Excise Commissioner i
Mysore, and shall be sent to t Collector or other office
empowered in this behalf in Her Majesty's or other Foreign Territory, who wi
be asked to fill in the required particulars, and seal, countersign and return th
original to this Office, and hand over the duplicate to the Importer to b
transmitted with the drugs into Mysore. Stock shall be taken on arrival her
the contents of the Pass checked and brought to book in the Central Distiller
Depôt, by the Officer in charge; and the original pass shall be receipted an
returned by the Excise Commissioner to the Officer in the Territory when
the drug was imported.

(e) Realization of duty.

(9) To secure the duty leviable on the drugs imported, exported and consumed in Mysore, the following rules are framed:—

(d) Restriction on import, sale and preparation.

(*a*) As the wholesale vend of Ganja is framed out by the Mysore Government, no one shall be permitted to import or sell the drug or any preparation thereof, except the Government Farmer, or other person authorized by the Excise Commissioner for, and in behalf of Government, in case the Farmer and the duly licensed wholesale and retail vendors fail to act up to their engagements.

Restriction on imported drug.

(*b*) The drug imported as per clause (*a*) above, shall be considered to be in bond till disposed of as hereinafter specified.

Rates of duty payable by wholesale Vendors.

(*c*) The Farmer or Contractor as wholesale Vendor shall pay duty at six annas per seer of 24 Tolas on Ganja, and two annas per seer of 24 Tolas on Majum sold by Licensed Wholesale Vendors to persons duly licensed to sell by retail; and until section 16 clause (*a*) of the Excise Act is amended so as to include also the farming of fees on wholesale vend, such duty shall be taken to be fees leviable on such wholesale Licenses issued under section 55 clause (*b*) of the Excise Act; and the aforesaid rates of duty or License fee shall be considered to be fees on wholesale vend. The period for which the Farm is granted, the time and place of payment of fees, and the security to be given by the Farmer with other conditions shall be as set forth in the Agreement appended hereto, marked E, and the farmer as wholesale Vendor shall further abide by the reservations and restrictions imposed in the rules now framed, or which may hereafter be framed under section 55 clause (*g*) of the Excise Act.

How bulk shall be secured.

(*d*) To prevent as far as possible bulk being broken and the drug disposed of *en route*, the following precautions shall be taken:—All Ganja exported, imported or transported shall, in addition to being covered by passes, be effectually secured and sealed. If sent in gunny bags, a Government seal shall be affixed along the seams at intervals of two inches. If sent in boxes, the lids shall be nailed down, and a tie of wire passed round and across, and so let into grooves in the wood, as to prevent shifting, the knot should be countersunk, waxed and sealed with a legible Government seal.

(e) Any difference over the contents specified in the pass shall be attach by any Excise Officer and confiscated by the Excise Commissioner. On any quantity below that entered in the pass, the full market value of the drug shall be recovered from the party to whom the drug is consigned, and credited to Government.

Disposal of difference over or below the contents of Pass.

PART III.

3. Under section 12 clause (*d*) of the Excise Act, the following rule is framed.

(1) No one, unless duly authorized by a written order under the seal and signature of the Excise Commissioner, shall purchase Ganja from any one permitted to cultivate the same under these Rules.

Orders to purchase from cultivators.

PART IV.

The following rules are framed under section 13 of the Excise Act:—

(1) The sale of Ganja and its preparations shall be restricted to the Farmer appointed by Government, and who has executed an agreement (vide appendix E) or to the nominee specially appointed by Government, in case the former fails to act up to his engagements, and to persons holding Licenses for the wholesale and retail vend thereof. The License Rules framed in this behalf shall be as set forth in forms F, and G, hereto appended.

Sale of drugs.

PART V.

5. To insure the prompt disposal of all cases falling under sections 14 and 15 of the Excise Act, the following rules are framed under these sections and under section 55, clause (*g*) of the said Act:—

(1) In cases where retail License fees are not directly levied, and when the License is cancelled, the amount of remission under section 14 shall be a sum equal to 20 per cent of the net monthly income of the License Holder, struck on the rates prescribed by Government; and the compensation for default of notice under the same section, shall not exceed a sum equal to twice the above proportion of the net monthly income.

Rates of remission and compensation.

(2) When the License is surrendered by the Holder, the amount demandable by Government under section 15 shall not exceed a sum equal to six times the above proportion of the net monthly income.

Claim of Government when license is surrendered.

(3) Licenses shall invariably be cancelled on conviction before a Magistrate in the following cases :—

When Licenses to be cancelled.

(*a*) Sale or possession of bad or adulterated drug;

(*b*) Use or possession of false scales and weights;

(*c*) Sales at unauthorized rates;

(*d*) Sales of illegal or contraband items;

(*e*) Keeping or producing false accounts involving fraud.

All other cases shall be disposed of departmentally through the Amildars in the manner laid down in Part VII of these Rules, the question of cancelling Licenses will be dealt with on the merits of each case by the Excise Commissioner.

(4) When a shop becomes vacant by the death of the License holder, by the surrender of the License, or by its cancelment by Government for the misconduct of the holder the following order shall be observed by Amildars in the selection of a new License holder :—

Mode of selection of persons to take up vacant shops.

1st. The heir-at-law.

2nd. The Vendor.

3rd. A permanent inhabitant of the Town or village.

4th. A permanent inhabitant of adjacent villages or of the Taluq Kasbah.

When suitable persons of the above description cannot be found, an outsider shall not be appointed without the previous approval of the Excise Commissioner.

(5) Before the issue of a License, the Amildar should ascertain that the Candidate, if not already residing in the town, village or locality where the shop is situated, is prepared at once to do so.

PART VI.

6. The following rules are framed under sections 20, 22 and 55 clause (*g*) of the Excise Act to regulate the form in which Licenses or Passes shall be granted to persons possessing or transporting intoxicating drugs, for the supply to License vendors of such drugs, or for their own use :—

(1). All drugs shall be obtained by Licensed wholesale vendors from the Provincial Head Quarter Depôt at the Central Distillery on written applications made through the Farmer or Contractor by the License Holder. All such applications shall be embodied in printed forms, and produced with a list from the Contractor or Farmer to the Supervisor in charge at the Distillery, where they will be retained, after compliance, for record and reference by the Contractor's agent authorized in this behalf.

Drugs to be obtained from the Central Distillery Stores.

(2) The drugs transmitted to Licensed wholesale vendors under rule 1[illegible] be covered by a Pass in Form H, if sent by the Contractors from their Provincial Head Quarters Depôt to any of the Depôts of the Bangalore District, or from any Depôt at any other District Head Quarters, if so authorized by the Excise Commissioner, to any of the outlying Depôts in the same District; and in form I, if sent from Provincial Head Quarters Depôt at Bangalore to any of the Depôts in the outlying Districts. To prevent complications in accounts, the stock of drugs sent to any District from the Provincial Head Quarters Depôt at Bangalore, shall not be afterwards transferred to another District under any circumstance whatever. When transferred from a District Head Quarters Depôt established with the special sanction of the Excise Commissioner, to a Taluk Depôt in the same District, the Assistant Supervisor or Tester of the District or Range shall sign the certificate at foot of the Contractors' Pass, after duly weighing the drugs before despatch.

Drugs transported to be covered by Passes.

(3) All Retail License Holders shall purchase drugs from the wholesale Depôts attached to the District in which they reside, and not from elsewhere under any pretext whatever, and all such purchases shall be covered by a Pass in form J.

Purchases by retail vendors where and how to be made.

(4) Any Medical practitioner holding a Ganja License which is to be granted free, may purchase Ganja from a Retail License holder up to one Seer for *bona fide* use in medical preparations and prescriptions, but not for sale in its crude state as an ordinary Retail License holder sells. If the quantity be in excess of 3 tolas and up to 24 Tolas, he shall obtain a Pass in form K, from the Retail License Holder, sealed and signed by the Excise Assistant Commissioner. The number and date of sales on these Passes shall be duly booked in the retail shop accounts, and the counterfoils kept by the Retail License Holder to support the same.

Purchases by Medical Practitioners from whom and how to be made.

(5) Any private individual may also obtain Ganja from a Retail License Holder for his *bona fide* private use, but not for sale, under cover of a Pass in Form L, up to the limit of 24 Tolas

Purchases by private individuals from whom and how to be made.

(6) Passes obtained under clauses 4 and 5, shall, if required, be produced on demand of an Excise Officer to verify the legal possession thereof; and they shall not be tenable for more than 3 months. If that period be exceeded, the drugs will be considered contraband, and the possessor punished under the Rules in force unless the Pass be renewed.

Limitation of Passes granted under clauses 4 and 5.

PART VII.

7. The following rules are framed under clause *(g)* section 55 of the Excise Act, to define the powers and duties of certain officers in connection with the work of the Excise Department.

(1) The Excise Commissioner shall have power to direct the closing of all shops which may appear to him to be in excess of the number required in any locality, also the transfer of existing shops from one locality to another.

Powers of Excise Commissioner.

(2) The particular shop or shops to be closed or transferred will be decided by the Excise Commissioner in communication with Amildars through the Excise Assistant Commissioner.

(3) When the Excise Commissioner is of opinion that a reduction in the number of Ganja shops is required below the complement fixed for 1888—89, the contractor shall, with the sanction of Government, and in accordance with section 18 of the Excise Act, be granted compensation if he has sustained loss in consequence of such reduction, but not otherwise. The compensation shall be calculated as follows :—

The guaranteed contract amount shall be divided by the number of shops, and the quotient shall represent the value of each shop for the year. The compensation to be awarded shall not exceed the value per shop so obtained, and shall be determined at the rate of 1 anna and 6 pies per seer for the period the shop was closed, based upon the sales for the period the shop was open during the year in which the reduction takes place.

(4) When it is recommended to the Excise Commissioner that a shop should be opened for the first time, or after a considerable lapse of time, in a locality where no shops exist, or that an additional shop should be opened in any locality, he will make the necessary enquiries from the Amildar through the Excise Assistant Commissioner, and if it appears desirable to establish such new shop, the Excise Commissioner will direct the Amildar to issue a license in accordance with the rules herein laid down for his guidance in the selection and appointment of candidates.

A statement of Licenses thus issued will be forwarded monthly for the information of the Deputy Commissioner as provided for in sub-rule (17) following.

(5) The District Magistrate shall have the power to close temporarily any shop or shops on the requisition of the Military authorities or Taluk Magistracy, when troops are on the march or when a breach of the peace is apprehended. In such cases the Contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation.

Powers of District Magistrate.

(6) Amildars as Taluk Magistrates shall on emergency have the power to close temporarily any shop or shops without reference to the District Magistrate, on a written requisition from the Military authorities when troops are on the march, or when a breach of the peace is apprehended. In such cases also, the Contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation.

Powers of Amildars as Taluk Magistrates.

(7) Amildars shall have authority to comply with all applications for the renewal of yearly licenses within their Taluks, and the holders will in the meantime be permitted to continue to vend without interruption. When it is doubtful for any reason whether a license should be renewed, the circumstances should be reported to the Excise Department for orders.

(8) Amildars shall have authority to comply with all applications License Holders to appoint a Vendor, or for a change of Vendors, or for mission to alter the local position of shops in the same village.

(9) When a License Holder desires to change his shop from one village to another, the application should be submitted for the orders of the Excise Department by the Amildar with his opinion.

(10) When there is reason to suspect that ellicit practices are being carried on by a License Holder or by a Vendor, an additional Vendor may be appointed by the Amildar and the result reported for the further orders of the Excise Department.

(11) In cases of delay in granting Licenses for new shops under Rule (4) the Amildar may issue permits to vend to the proposed License Holder. Such permits may also be issued when necessary, when a shop becomes vacant by the surrender or by the cancelling of a License for misconduct, or by the death of the Holder, or in cases falling under Rule (12) following.

(12) When a License Holder or Vendor absents himself from his duty and thereby causes inconvenience to the public and loss to Government and the Contractors, the Amildar will lose no time in appointing a suitable substitute, and in reporting the arrangements he has made to the Excise Commissioner's office. If the License Holder or Vendor fails to give a satisfactory explanation for his absence, he will be liable to have his License withdrawn, and also to be punished under Section 42 of the Excise Act.

(13) No one shall be appointed as a License Holder or Vendor who is directly or indirectly connected with the contractors or their agents or wholesale Vendors, or who is a notoriously bad character.

(14) No Village or Taluk official or other servant of Government or his relatives shall directly or indirectly have any connection with a Wholesale or Retail shop.

(15) Not more than one shop shall be held by members of the same family and where this now exists, other persons unconnected with the present incumbents should be recommended by the Amildar, and furnished with permit to vend, pending orders to transfer the License from the Excise Commissioner's office.

(16) There is no objection to drugs being vended in the same shop by a dealer in dry goods or by a tobacconist, but they should not be sold in a sweatmeat bazaar, or where any prepared food is offered for sale. Ganja and Opium may be sold in the same shop, as provided for in clause (2) Rule following.

(17) Amildars shall, by the 15th April of each year, furnish the District Magistrate with a list of shops existing and newly opened, wholesale as well as Retail, giving the number of the License, the names of the License Holder and Vendor, and the name of the town or village in which the shops are situated. A duplicate of this list shall be furnished by the same date to the Excise Assistant Commissioner. Supplemental lists should be sent thereafter by the Amildar monthly to both of the above officers in cases of new shops opened, or where changes of Vendors or localities of shops are sanctioned.

18) As provided for in Sections 13 and 39 of the Excise Act, and with reference to Part V—sub-rule (3) of these Rules,—all offences which do not involve criminal intent or fraud, may be disposed of departmentally by Amildars after summary enquiry, by warning, fine or suspension of License. The file is to be sent without delay, through the Assistant Commissioner, to be laid before the Excise Commissioner, who shall have authority to confirm, modify or cancel the orders passed.

8. The following rules framed under Section 55 clause (*g*) of the Excise Act, shall be observed by the Farmer or Contractor in addition to those laid down in the agreement framed under clause (*c*) sub-rule (9) Part II of these Rules. —

Sale of Ganja restricted to Retail License Holders.

(1) Under Section 12 clause (*d*) of the Excise Act, the Contractors shall sell Ganja and its preparations only to Retail License Holders or their Vendors, and they or their agents or their employes shall not interfere or be connected with, the said License Holders or their Vendors, or give to or receive from them any remuneration whatever.

Ganja and Majum sold to be of good quality.

(2) The Ganja and Majum and other preparations thereof sold, shall be of good quality, not adulterated, not black or old, or such as may have lost their medicinal virtues. The Ganja must be without stalks, which should be removed before issue to Retail License Holders and Vendors, failing which good Ganja of equivalent weight should be given for the stalks when returned by Retail Vendors. Powdered Ganja to the extent of only 5 per cent of the quantity purchased shall be taken by the Retail License Holders and Vendors, and no more. Such powdered Ganja may be made up by the Retail License Holders and Vendors into *Halva*. All Ganja powder over 5 per cent, of the quantity in stock or bad Ganja of the description above indicated, which is found at the Distillery, the Depôts or Retail Shops, shall be attached by the Excise Department, and with the sanction of the Excise Commissioner, burnt. The contractors shall not import into the Province, nor purchase from the local cultivator, nor sell to the public, Ganja which is more than 18 months old.

Contractors to keep Provincial Stock at the Central Distillery.

(3) The Contractors shall always keep the whole of the Provincial stock at the Bangalore Central Distillery and no where else, such Provincial Stock not being less than two months' supply, exclusive of a supply for one month which shall be retained at each wholesale Depôt in the Province; in default of which they shall pay compensation to Government and Retail Dealers, (*if any loss be sustained by the latter*), at the rates prescribed, and to the extent of such "short" or no stocks at the Distillery and wholesale Depôts. The compensation to Government shall be calculated on the wholesale rates of vend, and for retail dealers on the difference between wholesale and retail rates.

Stock at a Warehouse or District Head Quarters Depôt.

(4) If a Warehouse or a District Head Quarters Depôt be established, the stock thereat shall be enough to provide a supply equal to two months' demand for the wholesale Depôts depending thereon, and this stock shall be over and above that required to be maintained at the Distillery and at the subordinate wholesale Depôts, under the preceding rule (3).

(5) The fees *(inclusive of local cess)* on wholesale vend, and the prices, wholesale and retail, of Ganja and Majum per seer of 24 Tolas for the whole Province shall be fixed for the next three years from 1st April 1889 as specified below :—

Rates of fees on wholesale vend &c., wholesale and retail prices.

Name of Drug.	Rate of fee on Wholesale vend.			Wholesale price.			Retail price.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
1. Ganja per seer of 24 Tolas ...	0	6	0	0	10	0	0	13	0
2. Majum or any other preparation of Ganja (except halva) per seer of 24 Tolas.	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	6	0

(6) The Contractors shall render monthly, on or before the 10th of the month following that to which it relates, a true and correct account, in duplicate, of the sales at the wholesale Depôts, to the Excise Commissioner through the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Distillery, and always and at all times allow the Officers of the Excise Department free access to each and every Depôt, and warehouse, and to all the accounts kept by the contractors, which shall all be true and accurate, and kept and rendered in the forms prescribed by the Mysore Government. For the purposes of this contract the Contractor shall also open an account at the Provincial Head Quarters Depôt, Bangalore Distillery, showing in detail the prime cost of the drug, cost of carriage by cart and rail, other charges if any, and total cost of drugs and cost per maund. The number and date of transport or import pass shall be quoted, and each item duly vouched for with original receipts &c., duly numbered. The cost of establishment, contingencies &c., shall also be given monthly in detail. A copy of this account shall be furnished monthly to the Excise Commissioner through the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Distillery, and the original accounts with vouchers shall be kept at the Provincial Head Quarters Depôt at the Bangalore Distillery, for reference when required by the Excise Department.

Contractors to render accounts of sales at wholesale Depôts.

Cost price.

(7) The wholesale Depôts shall be provided at the contractors' cost with correct scales and weights, the latter being duly stamped by Government.

Wholesale Depôts to be provided with scales and weights, at contractors' cost.

(8) Disorderly conduct and irregular transactions at the wholesale Depôts shall not be permitted by the Contractors, their agents or employes; and all such employes shall, fifteen days after the agreement is signed by the Contractors, enter into engagements with the Contractors to abide by the spirit and letter of the conditions entered into by the Contractors with Government.

Contractors' Agents to enter into engagements with Contractors.

nd of the Laws and Rules in force; and such engagements shall be deposited for each District in the Deputy Commissioner's Office by the 20th of the said month without fail. Such employes shall take out wholesale licenses, if employed to sell the drugs or sign permits for the Contractors.

Wholesale Arrack License Holders and Vendors may be employed as wholesale Ganja Vendors.

(9) With the permission of the Arrack Renters, all wholesale License Holders and Vendors of Arrack may be employed as wholesale Vendors of Ganja, and paid a commission on the sales not exceeding ½ anna per seer of Ganja sold by them.

Stock on hand at the close of Contract to be made over to the new Contractors.

(10) The Ganja and Majum remaining on hand, on the 1st April 1889 and 1892 at the Provincial Head Quarters Depôt, and at all wholesale Depôts, shall be made over, if of good quality and fit for use and not more than eighteen months old, nor containing more than 5 per cent powder, to the new Contractors who shall take over not less than two months, stock calculated on the average sales in the Province for the previous twelve months, and such further quantity thereof as they may wish to take, provided the Excise Commissioner approves of the quality of the drug. The price shall be fixed at the average rate struck on the total rates entered in the accounts of the past year as kept under clause (6) Rule (8) Part VII of these Rules, plus interest at 12 per cent per annum on the value of the drug so transferred. Any surplus stocks that may still remain in the hands of the old contractors shall be ascertained by the Excise Commissioner through the Excise Assistant Commissioner, and a notice served for its removal within one months' time after the close of the old Contract and under an export Pass. A security bond shall be taken from the old Contractor to protect Government interests for the time the drugs remain in his possession. On failure to comply with such notice the drugs shall be confiscated to Government or otherwise disposed of as the Excise Commissioner may direct.

Old Contractors to make over scales and weights to new Contractors.

(11) The old Contractors shall make over, and the new Contractors shall take over all scales and weights at the Provincial Head Quarters and at other Depôts, if correct and in good order, at a valuation to be fixed by the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Distillery and approved of by the Excise Commissioner.

Old Contractors not to sell to Retail Vendors more than the average required during the closing month of Contract.

(12) The old Contractors and the Wholesale Vendors shall be prohibited from inducing the Retail Vendors to purchase more than the average quantity likely to be required by the latter during the last month of the contract. This rule shall be strictly enforced.

Ganja contained in any preparations to be duly exhibited in contractors' and retail dealers' accounts.

(13) The quantity of Ganja contained in any of the preparations thereof made and sold, shall be duly exhibited in the accounts of both the Contractors and the retail dealers. The stocks of Ganja and Majum and other preparations made and sold shall be separately accounted for as Ganja, Majum, &c., in the form K, prescribed for Contractors as wholesale dealers, and in form L for Shop-keepers as retail Vendors.

(14) The new Contractor shall be bound to make his own arrangement for the requisite supply of Ganja required by him to go on with his Contract, apart from the provision made in sub-rule (10) above.

New Contractor to make his own arrangement for supply of Ganja.

9. The following rules are framed under clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*f*) of section 55 of the Excise Act.

(1) The period for which the Contract is granted shall be as specified in the agreement bond E, entered into between the Government and the Contractors.

Duration of Contract or Farm.

(2) No fees shall be levied for licenses for the Retail Vend of Ganja, except in the Towns of Bangalore and Mysore, where a fee of Rupees 3 and Rupee one per mensem respectively, shall be charged for each License. Licenses for the Vend of Opium shall be granted, without any restriction, to persons holding Ganja licenses, and *vice versa*. The sale of the two drugs being in the hands of one party, the total number of shops at each place will be reduced to meet local requirements, and to secure an adequate income to the License Holders.

Fees for Retail Vend of Ganja where to be levied.

(3) The security to be given by the Contractors shall be equal to one fourth of the annual contract amount as set forth in their Agreement, form E.

Security from Contractors.

(4) All drugs confiscated by a Magistrate under the Excise Act, or by any other authority shall be dealt with under the following sub-rules.

Disposal of things confiscated.

(*a*) Confiscated drugs of bad quality or in bad condition, and unfit for use whether from age or other causes shall be burnt. If fit for use as to quality and condition, they shall be brought to book at the Central Distillery, Bangalore, and then sent under Pass to the nearest wholesale Depôt to be there sold to the Contractors at such rates as may be approved of by the Excise Commissioner, based on the cost of drugs as entered in the Contractors' accounts. The net proceeds of sale of such confiscated articles shall be credited to Government, unless, (in cases dealt with by a Magistrate,) the whole or any part of he proceeds has been awarded to an informer or an Officer of the Excise Department through whose exertions a conviction has been obtained.

(*b*) In all cases, a Panchayet consisting of two Retail License Holders or Vendors of drugs and three consumers shall decide on the good or bad quality of the drugs and their fitness for human consumption.

(5) Instructions regarding the duties and powers of Officers of the Excise Department are detailed in appendix M. The Contractors, Wholesale and Retail Vendors, and all those concerned shall accede to requisitions made by such Excise Officers when engaged in carrying out the said instructions.

Duties and Powers of Excise Officers.

(6) It shall be within the meaning of Section 34 of the Excise Act that the aid to be afforded by the Police to Officers in the Excise Department shall extend to taking charge of, and keeping in safe custody, pending the orders of a Magistrate or

Aid to be afforded by the Police.

of any Officer of the Excise Department of and above the rank of Tester all articles seized under this Act which may be delivered to the Police; and also to allowing any Officer of the Excise Department of and above the rank of Tester, who may accompany such articles to the Police Station, or who may be deputed for the purpose by his superior officer, to affix his seal to such articles, and to take samples of and from them. All samples so taken shall also be sealed with the seal of the officer in charge of the Police Station.

Punishment of parties offending against these Rules.

10. Parties offending against these Rules are liable to prosecution under the Excise Act XXII of 1881, as amended by Act VI of 1885, and the Rules framed thereunder.

11. For information, guidance and ready reference, the forms of Licenses, passes, accounts, returns and other appendices referred to in the foregoing rules are appended below in serial order :—

A. Description of Ganja and its preparations as used in Southern India.

B. Patta for the cultivation of Ganja hemp.

C. Export Pass.

D. Import Pass.

E. Ganja Farmer's Agreement.

F. Wholesale Ganja License.

G. Retail Ganja License.

H. Contractors' Pass for drugs transmitted from the Provincial Head Quarters Depôt to the Depôts in the Bangalore District.

I. Contractors' Pass for drugs sent to the Depôts in the outlying Districts.

J. Pass for purchases by Retail Vendors.

K. Pass to Medical Practitioner from Retail License Holder.

L. Pass for purchases by private individuals.

M. Duties and powers of Excise officers.

N. Wholesale Depôt Ledger.

O. Monthly detailed account of wholesale Depôts.

P. Monthly Abstract account.

Q. Retail shop account.

R. Tester's Abstract Monthly Statement.

S. Quarterly Abstract to be sent to Head Supervisor.

T. Tester's Diary of Visits.

Central Jail Press, Bangalore.—31-12-89—35.

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SECTION S. R

FILE No. 10785-86

SERIAL No. 2

Dated 25th January 86

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 6091.

No. 362

Sir

I have directed [illegible] to refer to the papers for the President's decision in the matter of the rent for land in Cantonment for the Civil & Military Station, whether he will permit the cantonment of the Engineer District to include that of the Civil Station or it is intended to make separate arrangements for working it.

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FILE No. 1078S-86.

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6321/377

Stating that for the coming year a separate Ganja contract will be made for the Civil & Military Station.

I.O.C Bangalore 27/1886.

Camp No. 15/465

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Camp Mercara 4th Feby/ 1886

To

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore.

Refers
M.S.
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Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 6091-362, dated 28th January 1886, enquiring whether the officiating Resident desires the future Ganja Contract of the Mysore Districts to include that of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

2. In reply, I am desired to intimate that for the coming year the decision of Mr. Lyall that a separate Contract should be made for the Civil and Military

military station, will be put into practice.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most obedient Servant

J. D. Hewitt
Asst to the Resident

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To Hon'ble Secretary to Govt of Bengal

Dated 9-2.86.

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Enclosures No.

General No. 6321

P.W. No. 377

Subject No Referring to Govt No 859 of 26th November 1885 I am directed to forward herewith information copy of letter No 15-455 of 4th Instant from the Accts to the Govt; intimating that for the coming year a separate Contract will be made for the C & M. Slatting & Repairs

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The Head Inspector
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FILE No. 10785-86.

SERIAL No. 5

Dated 18 February 1886

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General No.
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Enquiry if he is awarded by the Secretary in connection with the Jungle Notification.

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From The Dy Commissioner

Bangalore

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

Dated 19th February 1886.

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SECTION S.R
FILE No. 1785-86
SERIAL No. 6

Enclosures No. 3

General No. } 188 —8.
No. 1091

Submitted

Reference to Secretary's No 63 / 37 dated 23rd Instant, intimating that for the coming year, a separate Ganja Contract will be made for the Civil and Police Station.

Has the honor to submit for consideration and approval

1 — The Standing Ganja Rules are those laid down in the Dewani notification No 229 of 27th Feby 1885 — with which I have compared the draft notification now received —

2 — Para 1 of the draft —

(A) — As it has been decided by the Govt to reconstitute Hassan & Chitaldrug Districts from 1st April next, & to abolish French Rocks Sub-Div the words "Chitaldrug Sub-Div, Hassan Sub-Div & French Rocks Sub-Div, may, I think, be substituted by the names of two new Districts —

(B) — The Deputy Comr observes that there are no definite instructions whether the contract should be Provincial or District wise (Para 3 of the Dewani order No 229 of 27th Feby 1885 conveying the sanction of the Govt in favor of the contract being given for the whole Province instead of District — 3-2-86

(C) — The period of the contract is not stated in the draft — The period fixed in the Proceedings above quoted is 3 years vide Para 3 of the same — The addition of the words "for 3 years from 1st April 1886 to 31st March 1889, both days inclusive" is requisite —

3 — The draft does not contain provision of Rule IV of the Ganja Rules viz "The Deputy Comr may permit the farmer to import Ganja from beyond the territories of Mysore under passes to be issued by him in communication with the authorities of the District from which the article is imported

19 a draft notification for the Ganja Contract for the next three years, with copy of Head Superintendent's Memo: No. 882, dated 13th Inst. on the subject, and to request that, as no definite instructions have been received as to whether the Contract is to be for the whole Province or for the Districts separately the wording is such as to mean them both jointly or severally. This however can be rectified in the Notification before it is sent to the Gazette Office for publication.

2. Early orders solicited, as the term of the current Contract expires by the 31st March 1876.

C. A. Elliott

Dy Commissioner

The important rule no VI of the rules is omitted — that rule is — no fee shall be levied for retail licenses except in the Town of Bangalore & Mysore where a fee of 8 and 1 Rupee per mensem shall be levied

Para 9 of the draft added by a manuscript notification, allows Ganja Retail vendors to sell opium at all villages free of tax, and at other places on payment of the prescribed fee = This privilege not authorized by the Rules this is considered necessary the notification should be altered so as to agree with Para 4 of the Opium Rules as approved vide no 6865 of 18-8-1885 which limits the fee to A fee of Rs 9 per quarter shall be levied for each wholesale & retail vendor's License in the Town of Bangalore, Mysore, Kolar & Chickmagalur, & in all other stations no fee shall be charged except where the sales in any shop exceeds 6 per month, in which case a small fee of annas per mensem shall be levied — K.S.R

Enclosure to 886.

Mines No. 882 dated 13th February 1886.

Reference,

Deputy Commissioners' doc. Kat No. 194 dated 12th Instant.

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1. Begs to retransmit the papers received with the above, and to add that the necessary amendments have been inserted in the Notification of 1883 sent and hea on print which the Tenderer must naturally be enlightened on.

2. Adverting to the Dewans Proceedings C. No. 40-8 dated 2 April 1885 and Proceedings C No. 212 dated 27th February 1885, which the former amended by allowing an extension of Contracts on the same terms and deferring the present scheme for another year, begs to state that the Notification has been so drawn

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up as to meet a Provincial or a District. War Tender as indicements may be offered to Government to accept or reject one or the other on review of the tenders received -

3. The great draw back to existing tenderers is that Ganja is still continued to be raised all over the Province without pattas to the serious loss of Government Revenue and the Renters' profits - More than half the demand of the Province is met by the drug thus surreptitiously raised and disposed of to the prejudice of the licensed Vendor and Renter - The Madras Legislative has followed the lines indicated in the Diwan's Notification No. 229 dated 27th February 1883 - and it is of the most vital importance that the provisions thereof should be enforced, and to enable this being done effectually, those rules need re-modelling on the lines indicated under the

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New Excise Act. (draft ready in
manuscript and orders to print
and bring up solicited).

4. The Head Supervisor would
humbly suggest that existing Con
-tractors be allowed to continue fo
one year more and the rules pu
-lished by Government gradually
enforced, practically. After next
year, it would be very desirable t
merge the Ganja with the Ar
-rack Contract, as great facilities
would thus be afforded to work
the scheme thro' the wholesale
Vendors of the Arrack Renters an
thus, by bringing the drugs to th
doors of all, stamp out the con
-traband article.

5. The collection of statistic
was rendered nugatory, as the
keeping of accounts and the
use of proper scales and weigh
was much hampered in some
Districts owing to the old terms
being still continued. As far

data could be collected, the figures are given and it would be preferable to add the Contract amounts of 1885-86 in juxta position, so as to afford intending applicants some basis on which to tender.

[Signed] J. G. Mc Donnell
Head Supervisor

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W Macintire
Dy Commissioner.

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Ganja Contract

No. Dated February 1886.

Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of the Wholesale vend of Ganja and any preparation thereof except Salva in the (1) Town and District of Bangalore exclusive of the assigned Tract (2) Town and District of Mysore including French Rocks Sub Div^n (3) Kadur District including Hassan Sub Div^n (4) Shimoga District (5) Kolar District and (6) Tumkur District including Chitteldroog Sub Div^n. Tenders are invited for one lump-sum contract for all the 6 Tracts specified, as also Separate Tenders for each of the 6 Districts separately so that Government may be in a position to accept one for the whole Province, excluding the Assigned Tract or if sufficient inducements do not offer to dispose of the Contract by Districts.

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2. Each tender must specify the minimum revenue which the tenderer will guarantee yearly to Government, and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. ~~50~~ 100 in cash, and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of selling gánjá and any preparation thereof ~~in the Bangalore District excluding the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.~~" (whether for the whole Province or for the District only.)

3. The tenders must be delivered at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, ~~Bangalore~~ District, on or before noon of the ~~8th March 1883~~ 8th March 86 when they will be opened by the Deputy Commissioner in the presence of the applicants. The applicant whose tender may be selected by the Deputy Commissioner for recommendation to Government will be required to deposit at once in cash or in Government securities, a further sum equal to one-twelfth (or one month's instalment) of the amount guaranteed annually to Government; failing which, the deposit made with the tender will be forfeited.

4. When the decision of the Government is announced, the deposits made by the applicants whose tenders have been rejected, will be thereupon returned to them on their application. The Government reserves to itself the power of rejecting the highest or any tender without assigning any reason.

5. The party whose tender may be accepted shall, within 8 days after the Government decision has been communicated to him, deposit with the Deputy Commissioner, a sum in cash or Government securities duly endorsed, which, with the sums previously deposited under para 3, shall be equal to one-fourth of the yearly revenue guaranteed; and shall execute an agreement in the usual form on proper stamp, binding himself to conform to the conditions hereinafter set forth; and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement, or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made will be forfeited to Government, and the lease otherwise disposed of.

6. Should the sales of gánjá and its preparations ~~in any year~~ by the contractor to the licensed vendors exceed the guaranteed amount, 25 per cent of such excess shall be duly paid over to Government with the last instalment payable for ~~each~~ year. Each year's account shall be closed separately and the excess of one year cannot be claimed as a set off against the deficit of any other year. Should the excess sales of the 2nd and 3rd years be more than the realizations of the 1st year, Government reserves to itself the right of claiming a proportionate enhanced percentage on such excess sales. Of the Market value of the drug and the Renters profits. Justify this step.

Conditions.

I. The contract shall not be transferable, except with the approval of the Deputy Commissioner.

II. For the purposes of this contract, Government may decline to recognize any representative agent or partner appointed or taken by the contractor during the period of the contract, unless such representative agent or partner shall have been first approved of by the Deputy Commissioner of the District for the time being.

III. The minimum annual revenue guaranteed shall be paid by the contractor into the District Treasury at Bangalore by equal monthly instalments, together with local cess thereon, at the rate of one anna per rupee, on or before the 20th day of each month. With the last instalment due for each year shall be paid the 25 per cent on the excess sales over the guaranteed amount or such enhanced proportionate percentage in the 2nd and 3rd years as the excess sales may justify the levy of. In case of default in the payment of any of the instalments, as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for the Deputy Commissioner of the District for the time being, to declare the deposit forfeited, to order the farm to be taken under Government management at the contractor's risk, or to declare the lease forfeited, and to resell it at the contractor's risk and loss, and further to recover all arrears with interest at 6 per cent per annum by the attachment and sale of his property, personal and real.

V. The number of shops for the sale of gánjá and its preparations and the places at which they are to be kept shall be determined by the Deputy Commissioner, and the contractor shall engage to sell gánjá and its preparations only at the places so fixed. The Deputy Commissioner shall be at liberty to make any alterations in the number and localities of the shops that he may from time to time consider necessary, or to close any shop without any claims for compensation on the part of the contractor in the manner and under the conditions set forth in para IX of this Notification.

V. The confirmation of existing retail vendors, the nomination of new vendors, and the cancellation of licenses shall rest with the Deputy Commissioner under the rules in force. The Deputy Commissioner shall issue licenses in the prescribed forms direct to the retail vendor as in the case of other drugs.

VI. The contractor shall sell gánjá and its preparations only to such licensed vendors, and shall not interfere with the retail vendors in any way.

VII. The gánjá sold shall be of good quality and not be adulterated ; and the contractor shall always keep on hand at least one month's supply of gánjá.

VIII. ~~The price at which gánjá shall be sold by the contractor to the retail vendor shall be fixed at 8 annas per seer of 24 tolas, and the retail dealer shall sell to the public at 11 annas per seer.~~ The sales of gánjá and its preparations shall be covered by a pass in the prescribed form signed by the contractor or his authorized agent. ~~More than 4 tolas' weight of gánjá shall not be sold to the same person on the same day by the retail dealer except for medical purposes on passes issued by a Magistrate.~~

IX. The Deputy Commissioner shall have power to close any particular shop or shops on the requisition of the Military authorities or Magistracy temporarily or permanently, and the contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation therefor. But with the approval of the Deputy Commissioner, the number so reduced might if the public requirements demand it be re-established in other suitable localities. ~~It shall however be at the discretion of that Officer to decline the re-opening of such shops if the number extant exceed the complement licensed in the year 1882—83, and the contractor shall have power only to claim the number so fixed being opened elsewhere and no more. On the other hand,~~ Should the exigencies of the state require the closing of shops to any number below the complement ~~so fixed~~, the contractor shall with the sanction of the Government

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the or his authorized Agent or Wholesale Vendor
ll be at liberty to visit the drug shops in conjunction
th the Excise Officers and inspect the accounts and if he
reason to believe that Contra-band drugs are being
ded in any such shop shall with the permission of the
ildar place a nominee of his own to officiate as Vendo
tly. with the License Holder or Vendor of such shop
such time as the Amil may deem fit and such
minee shall be confirmed if sufficient grounds
st to justify this step by the Amildar

the conditions hereof shall not be infringed,
and the Wholesale and Retail prices shall be
uniformly for the whole Province as specified
below.

	Wholesale Rs-A-P.	Retail Rs-A-P
Ganja	0-10-0	0-13-0
Charas or any other preparation	0-4-0	0-6-0

EDUCATIONAL.

C. S. EXAMINATIONS—SPECIAL TESTS—MAY 1883.

The 23rd January 1883.

With reference to the subjoined notice, Candidates from Mysore and Coorg are informed that printed forms of application may be obtained from the Office of the Secretary to the Dewan in the Educational Department.

By Order,

T. SRINIVASAIENGAR,
for *Secretary to the Dewan,*
Educational Dept.

The Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations notifies that the next examination in the subjects prescribed for the Special Tests will be held on the 7th and following days of May next, at Bangalore.

2. Candidates must send in their applications on printed forms, which may be obtained from all Tahsildars and Treasury Deputy Collectors, so as to reach the Commissioner's Office on or before the 8th of March next, after which date no applications will be received. All applications should be prepared in the English language.

3. The following is the sanctioned scale of fee :—

	Rs.
I-A—Judicial Test, Civil—Higher Grade	10
II-A— Do. Criminal— do.	7
III-A—Revenue Test, General— do.	7
I-B—Judicial Test, Civil—Lower Grade	6
II-B— Do Criminal— do.	6
III-B—Revenue Test, General— do.	5
IV— Do. Salt Department	5
V— Do. Sea Customs Departme	4
VI—Account Test	5
VII-A—Translation Test, Higher Grade	6
VII-B— Do. Lower Grade	4
VIII-A—Précis writing, Higher Grade	4
VIII-B— Do. Lower Grade	4

4. The prescribed fee must be paid in every case and into a Government Treasury. The fee will neither be returned nor reserved for a subsequent examination. A receipt for the fee will be given in the mofussil both on the face of the form of application and on a separate printed form. The latter should be retained by the Candidate.

5. Candidates intending to undergo examination in the Town of Madras should apply to the undersigned for the Form of Application and not to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras. Such Candidates are required by G. O., 26th February 1880, No. 319, to pay the prescribed fee into the Bank of Madras and to send the Bank Receipt to the Secretary to the Commissioner for the U. C. S. Examinations along with the filled-up Form of Application for examination, which should be forwarded in accordance with this Notification.

6. Each application should be sent direct to the Secretary to the Commissioner for the U. C. S. Examinations post-paid superscribed and addressed as follows :—

[*Application for admission to the Special Test Examinations.*]

The Secretary to the Commissioner

for the U. C. S. Examinations.

be granted proportionate compensation for the number so closed on the guaranteed amount paid for the number of shops so licensed in the year under advertence, if it be proved that the contractor has sustained loss by such reduction in the number of shops but not otherwise.

X. ~~Whenever required~~ the contractor shall render a true and correct account in duplicate of the sales at his Wholesale Depôt to the Deputy Commissioner, and allow the officers of the Excise Department free access always and at all times to all the accounts kept by the contractor which shall all be true and accurate and in ~~such forms as the Deputy Commissioner may approve of from time to time.~~

XI. Disorderly conduct and irregular transactions at the Wholesale Depôt shall not be permitted by the contractor's agent, or employés. They shall be provided with correct scales and weights, the latter duly stamped by Government, and further all such employés shall 15 days after the agreement is signed by the contractor enter into engagements with the contractor to abide by the spirit and letter of the conditions entered into by the contractor with Government and the laws and rules in force, and such engagements shall be deposited in the Deputy Commissioner's Office by the 20th of the said month without fail.

~~XIII.~~ For any infringement of the above conditions, the contractor shall hold himself liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 100 to be levied at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, and to a forfeiture of his contract with the approval of Government if deemed necessary by him, or to such further penalties as the laws in force prescribed for breaches thereof or of the rules framed by Government. Further particulars can be had on application at the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

~~XIII.~~ The contractor shall be required to conform to any additional rules which may be prescribed from time to time by the Government.

~~XIV.~~ The quantity of gánjá sold in the Bangalore Town and Talúks during the year 1881-82 approximately amounted to 2,885 and 1,718 seers respectively.

The 2nd February 1883.

No. 36.—Krishnamúrti Rao, Amildar of the Yedatore Taluk, has been granted leave on private affairs for 19 days from the 26th November to the 14th December 1882, both days inclusive.

By Order,

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 782–137. *The 31st January* 1883.

Inspector C. Wood of the Madgere Taluk of the Kadur District is granted 2 months' privilege leave from the 15th proximo.

By Order,

A. H. MACINTIRE,
Secretary.

Dy Commissioners and Sub Dy Officers shall freely permit the opening of Ganja shops at all Taluk cutcheries, large Towns and villages where a demand for ganja exists and all such Vendors to frequent jatras & Fairs as provided for in the Retail Licences. All Ganja Retail licenced Vendors shall if so required be also granted free Licences to vend opium as well under the Rules in force at all bidoges other than the Taluk cutcheries and on payment of the prescribed fee at other places.

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inspectors monthly

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ication No 229 dated 27/2/85
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shall be taken out Wholesale Licenses, employed to sell the ganja, on such permits, the Contractor. With the permission of Arrack Renters all Wholesale Vendors rrack may be employed as Wholesale ors of Ganja and paid such commn on the sales to be fixed by the H.E. the Dep. Gov. Distillery not exceeding Rs per measure for such ganja sold by them

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abide by those laid down prescribed in the agreement notified by Government on 27th February 1885 229 especially those contained in the Wholesale nce Rules and for the preparation and bmission of accounts and the issue of sses and on other points therein specified pies where can be had access to at the istrict or Sub Dy Offices between 11 a.m. and P.M. daily and information on any other matters connection with this Contract will also be afforded thereat.

The Renters can raise his own ganja on applying for ~~and applying for~~ and holding a Government Patta. The cultivation of the drug otherwise has been interdicted by the Renters or anyone else all over the Province from 1st April 1886. The Renters are also at liberty to Import & Transport the ganja, on obtaining the required passes under the Rules in force.

XV. P. P. C.

XV. The quantity of Ganja sold in 1884 and half of the current year and the minimum guarantee for the current year and the Government guarantee in 1885-86 are as follows:-

Places	1884/85 Ganja	1884/85 Ganjam	1885/86 Ganja	1885/86 Ganjam	Minimum Guarantee in 1885/86	No. of Retail shops	
I. Bangalore Town and Distt.	3356½	405½	(A) 3454	150½ (B)	1679 13 8	12	
II. Kolar Distt.			(C) 728	9	not stated the details are in the Dewans Office	7	
III. Tumkur Dt.			(C) (E) 301½	6	— do —	5.	
IV. Mysore Town & Distt. including Frenchrocks Pub Dte	5313	387	(C) 3409	512½	2022 0 0	10	
V. Kadur			(C) 152	—	97 8 0	2	
VI. Shimoga			(C) (D) 473	—	476 6 0	25	

(A) Nine months
(B) Proportion on total for Town Distt & Cantt of Bangalore for 1884/5
(C) Data for 6 months.
(D) Data sent for only 4 shops out of 25. Not available at others.
(E) Not opened for some months of the ½ year

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(General Serial No. 31.)

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From Circular

SECTION S. R.

FILE No. 1 of 85-86.

SERIAL No. 2.

To The Deputy Comrs. and Sub Dy. Officers

Dated 6-3-86

Despatched 12/3/86

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 68 27 35

Mil. No. 1124

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for information a Copy of the Boundary Award and Map of the Bangalore District, and to request that you will cause a Copy of the Award to be framed and hung up in your Office, and a Copy of the Map to be framed and hung up in the Sub Dy. Comrs. Office of Bangalore Taluk.

2. You are requested to cause a Copy of the Award and Map to be framed and hung up in the Sub Dy. Comrs. Office of each Taluk in the District.

3. The Tenders delivered at the Office of the Deputy Comrs. should be promptly submitted to this Office, as required by para: 5 of the Notification.

2 & 3 of 6

R. R.

For Secretary

(General Serial No. 29.)

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OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE. 85-00. 9-MAR.00 661.

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From The Deputy Commissioner Mysore District

(13)

SECTION S. R.

FILE No. 1 of 85-86 To

SERIAL No. 8

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore.

Dated Camp Gedadore 14th March 1886

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.-

General No. 768. } 1885-86.
No.

Has the honor to request to be informed whether the revised scheme of Ganja Contracts referred to in the Dewan's Proceedings No: 212 Camp Dated 27th February 1885 is to be brought into operation from 1st April next or the usual Notification calling for tenders for the next 3 years may be sent.-

Rhenhad Sr KB.
Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

Refer Rs
9/3/1886

Sir Submitted
12-3-86

Has not Mysore been replied -?

Sir
Ext. He has since sent Tenders received in his Office.

29-3-86

File for the present- the rates are passed on the Ganja Contract for Rs?
30/3

The contract has been passed & Notification under preparation.

(General Serial No. 29.)

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From The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District

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To

The Secretary to the Dewan
Chief
of Mysore.

SECTION S. R.
FILE No. 10 of 85-86
SERIAL No. 9

Dated 16 3 88.
Despatched March
Received

Enclosures No. 1

General No. —
D. No. 1199 } 1885—86.

Submitting tender received from the present Renter Chikka Rudrappa Chetty, for the Ganja Contract of the District and Town for one year -

Vide

D. No. 1199
Encs: 1

Dy Commissioner's Office
Bangalore District
Dated 16th March 1886

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Dewan of Mysore

Refer
Pri

17-3-1886

Submitted
18-3-86

Sir,

As directed in your letter No. 6827-35/247 dated 3rd Instant, I have the honor to submit the accompanying Tender for the Ganja Contract of the District and Town for one year, from the present Renter, Chika Rudrappa Chetty. It was the only Tender received.

Subfwarded-
8/3/86 Pri

2. The Renter agrees to pay Government Rs: 1125/. as a minimum guarantee for the year. As Conditions

4 of Notification No. 210 dated 1st Idem states that the lump sum tendered shall be exclusive of "Local Cess" for each District, a sum of Rs: 70-5-- will have to be added to the foregoing amount, which will raise it to Rs: 1195-5-- Taking into consideration the limited period for which the contract is to run and other drawbacks, the Head Superviser is of opinion that the offer made is fair, as contrasted with the sum now proportionately paid for the same right.

3. The Renter has made the acceptance of his tender conditional with the grant of the concession noted below:-

I. That in calculating the "excess Sales" the cost of Drugs

be allowed for first and on the surplus remaining, that 25% be retained by Government.

II. The rates are as per condition VII of Notification.

III. That he be allowed to have his Depôt in the Civil and Military Station.

IV That clandestine cultivation be stamped out.

4. I am decidedly opposed to any deviations from the terms of the Notification, but with reference to the above, may add that the Head Supervisor considers the proposed way of calculating the "Excess Sales" as fair, and proposes that this principle be generally adopted throughout the Province. I have told the Renters personally that his 3rd condition

cannot be allowed and that he must have his Depôt in the Pettah and may arrange to do so at the Arrack Depôt. His other points are fully conceded in the Notification, and it shews that the time allowed was too short to enable intending applicants to fully consider and make up their minds on the several important points touched on. If further particulars as to the quantity of drug sold during several previous years had been available, doubtless other contractors would have come forwards.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant

A M Macarthur

Mrs. Lor: Commissioner

(General Serial No. 29.)

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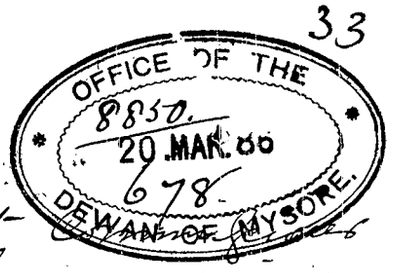

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Subsidiary Forces
Rec'd
20/3/86

From

The Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

To

(15)

Chief
The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore.

SECTION S. R
FILE NO. 1085-86
SERIAL NO. 10

Dated 16th
Despatched 17th } March
Received

Enclosures No. 5

General No. 796. } 1885-86.
No.

I submits the tenders for the Ramya Contract received in this office.

Urgent.

Put up all contract tenders.
Ask if Mr R. Row has any papers with him - Mackenn abstract sheeting tenders amount for and submit early.

Ry.
22/3

Preparatory notice -
Let me have all others that may have since been received in office? Ry?
How
22/3

No. 790 Ex 5 Mysore Dy Comrs Office
Dated 16th March 1886.

To,

The Chief Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore

Sir,

With reference to your No. 6827-31/24 dated 3d Instant and the Notification inviting tenders for the Ganja Contract, I have the honor to submit herewith four tenders received by me this day from the individuals noted in the margin. Makam Sooboya Chetty and Veerabhadra Chetty and Makam Soobroya Chetty and Moothyal Chetty sent their tenders by express Anche's as they were not present when the tenders were opened.

1. Mr. Davy
2. Mallegowdah
3. Makam Soobroya Chetty & Veerabhadra Chetty
4. M. Sooboya Chetty & C. Moothyal Chetty

2. It will be seen that Mr. Davy guarantees a minimum revenue of Rs: 4705-13-4 for the whole Provn exclusive of local cess, while Mal Gowdah, the present Ganja Contra of this District, of Rs: 2350 for the Mysore District alone or Rs: 452

more

more than the present Contract amount.

3. Makam Sooboraya Chetty and Moothyal Chetty are not explicit in their tenders. They offer Rs: 2325 and 2400 respectively for the Mysore District, including the Taluks Comprising the French Rocks Sub Division, which are not in accordance with the tenor of the first part of the Notification.

4. I have selected the tenders of Mr. Davy and Mallegowdah for consideration, and orders of the Government. They have deposited one twelfth of the amount guaranteed, as required by para 5 of the Notification. This, together with the amount presented with all the tenders, has been deposited in the Treasury, pending decision of the Government.

5. Another tender from one Chandrasakara Moodeliar offering Rs: 2360 for the Mysore District is also submitted. It was presented to me at 2.20 P.M.

and Consequently the deposit o
amount has been returned to him

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most obed Servt
Mopoosawney
Town Magistrate
For Deputy Commissione
MM Mysore District

Received by Mallaganda, Amildar 16 March 86.
with one Currency note for Rs 100/-
Approved

Enclosure to 510

To,

The Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District
Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to the notification published in the Mysore Gazette of the 13th Instant, I beg to present this my tender for the "exclusive privilege of the wholesale vend of Ganja and any preparation thereof except Halwa" in the district of Mysore for the ensuing official year (from 1st April 1886 to 31st March 1887) and guarantee to Govt. a minimum revenue of Rs 2,350/- exclusive of local cess for the period in question.

Enclosed I submit a deposit of 100 Rupees in Currency note agreeably to the notification.

I beg to add that I hold the Ganja Contract for the current fas-

1. 13/86 ? 2057 for 100 Rs
1. 13/86 ? 2058 for 100 Rs

B ? 5.38
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and have been strictly fulfilling the conditions of the Contract, without giving cause for any complaint and paying the amount of instalments punctually. I have however sustained a heavy loss owing to the retail rate of the drug being lower than in Bangalore and elsewhere. I trust that under the circumstances my tender may be accepted, so that I may be enabled to recoup the loss at least to some extent.

I beg to remain
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

ಜಯಚಂದ್ರ

Jayachandra
Contractor
Mysore Distt

Mysore
16th March/86

Presented by Chittambaram on behalf of
Mr Davey on the 16 March 86. with one
Currency Note for Rs 100/- HDavey

To

The Deputy Commissioner
Mypore District

Sir

In compliance with the notice calling
for tenders for the Ganja contract for
Districts or the whole Province in Gazette
No 9 of the 6th March 1886 I have the hono
to apply for the ~~District~~ Whole Province of Mypore offering
the sum of Rs 4705-13-4 per annum
exclusive of local cess.

A currency note for Rs 100 is herewi
enclosed as directed.

Mypore
16th March
1886

I have the honor to b
Sir
your most Obdt Servt

W Vincombe Davey

No 26182

Received by Ancher Sheep last night
16 January 86. Mahomed

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ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವವರು ಕೆ. ಮುತ್ತಿಯಾಲು ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ

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ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ ದಿನಾಂಕ 16-1-1886

ಅರ್ಜಿ ನಂಬರ್ 26182

ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವವರ ಹೆಸರು ಮತ್ತು ವಿಳಾಸ ಕೆ. ಮುತ್ತಿಯಾಲು ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ ಮಂಗಳೂರು

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ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವವರ ಸಹಿ ——

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ಅರ್ಜಿ ನಂಬರ್ 26182

ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ ದಿನಾಂಕ 16-1-1886

ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವವರು ಕೆ. ಮುತ್ತಿಯಾಲು ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ

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ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವವರ ಸಹಿ ——

K. Muthyalu Shetty

C. R. for Rs 10/-

Allowed
12 3/4 pm 16/5/86

B/86 10785

15/3/

Received 2.20 pm 16 March/86
the Currency Note of Rs 100 has been
returned to Mr Appleraud because
it has not been signed by them this day
16 March/86 C. Hopper

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The Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District
Mysore

Respected Sir

In accordance with the contents of
the notification published in the Mysore
Gazette of the 13th Inst. I beg to submit the
my tender for the "exclusive privilege of
wholesale Vend of Ganja & any preparation
thereof except Halva" in the Mysore
Dist. from 1st April 1886 to 31st March
& Guarantee to Government a Minimum
revenue of Rs 2360-- exclusive of Co
Cess per annum

I herewith submit a deposit
of Rs 100-- in Currency Note & if your
honor be so kind as to Grant me the
Contract I shall abide by the Conditions
of the Notification. I beg to remain

Respected Sir
your most obedt. Servt
A. Chundrasekhra Chetty
Mysore

Mysore
dated 16th March 86

No. 13/85-86 of 1886-87

1886.

OFFICE OF THE
8969
DEWAN OF MYSORE.

From The Secretary to the Government of Mysore

To Dewan
Secretary to ~~Chief Commissioner~~ of Mysore,
~~Department.~~

Chief Secy
Hub: forwarders
Rec?
20/3/86

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Dated 16th March
Despatched 17
Received

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 666 } 1885–86.
No.

SECTION S. A.
FILE No. 10785-86
SERIAL No. 11

With reference to Do-Chee
No. 6827-35 of the 3d Instt
247
forwarding Notification
inviting tenders for the
Gauja Contract, has the
honor to state that no tende
were received either for
the whole Province or for
the District up to noon
of the 16th Instant -
2. The enclosed Petition
from one Abdul Karim
Sab of Chikmunglur
was received late in the
evening & accom-
-panied by deposit. H
offers to take up thing

except Carly the Contract
or 1889. of the Revenue
or the Current Year
under the present System
as 1897—8——

J. H. McKenzie
Dy Commissioner
Kansas

N. M.

OFFICE OF THE
8832
16 MAY 00
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DEW'N OF

(General Serial No. 31.)

1886.

From Wm H. Uncombe (Dar

To

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SECTION S. R

FILE No. 1085-86

SERIAL No. 12

Dated 17th March 1886.

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No.

No.

Stating that he is prepare
& intends the Offer for the
Ganja Contract of the
whole Province by
300 or 400 Rupees.

I beg to be
m Bangalore
Veloo

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(General Serial No. 29.)

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE. 8879- 20 MAR 86

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From

The Deputy Commissioner
Shimoga District

(18)

To

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore.

Dated 17th March 86.

Ch: Secy
Submitted for orders
Ini
20/3/86

Reply written on opposite page

The Club
Bangalore
17-3-86

No. 2
1885–86.

Sir

I think I omitted to mention when at your house just now, that if necessary, I shall be prepared to increase my offer for the Gajanur of the whole Province by Six or Eight rupees. The tender is in my own name.

Yours truly
V. Venkatachary

ting to notice No: 210 of ant inviting r the exclusion f the whole Sanja and paration cept Halva, e honor that only for Rs. 550/ nted by ia of Shimoga which is herewith forwarded for sanction

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2. With regard to word "retail" mentioned in the tender, it will be seen from the enclosed statement taken from him that under a misconception of the notification he has added "retail" and that his tender was for the wholesale vend only.

3. Rania appears to be a competent man and has deposited Rs. 145·13·4 as required by paras 4 and 5 of the notification.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servt

P. Madhavachar

Deputy Commissioner

Received the Petition
by me on
18.3.82

Enclosures to Exh 13

General Serial No. 29.)

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1886

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE. 8950 20 MAR 86 MAR 86 68

Ref return immediately / Rd / 23-3-86

From The Dy. Commissr. Mysore Distt.

To (20)

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore.

Dated 18th March

Despatched 20 " "

Received

SECTION S-1

FILE NO. 10785-86

SERIAL NO. 16

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 797 / 1885-86.
No.

This Office Letter No. 8850 790

16 1/2 - Rs Bank reporting upon the tender received for the Ganja Contract.

" "

With reference to the above I have the honor to forward an application received this day from Koottiyal Chetty and Nadiam Soobraya Chetty.

Approved

For Dy. Commissr. Mysore Distt.

MR

Enclosures to Sl/15

18.3.86

12 Noon

To
The Secretary to the Government
Revenue Department
Secretariat
Madras-9

Sir,

I am submitting herewith the Application for the post of Village Assistant in Kanchipuram Taluk. I am a native of Kanchipuram Taluk and I have studied upto S.S.L.C. I am willing to serve in any village in Kanchipuram Taluk. I am willing to take up the post of Village Assistant. I am willing to abide by the rules and regulations of the Government in this regard.

I am a Scheduled Caste candidate belonging to Adi Dravida community. I am willing to produce the Community Certificate from the Tahsildar concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Nativity Certificate from the Tahsildar concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Study Certificate from the Head Master concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Transfer Certificate from the Head Master concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Conduct Certificate from the Head Master concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Age Certificate from the Head Master concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Physical Fitness Certificate from the Medical Officer concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Officer concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Tahsildar concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Revenue Inspector concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Assistant concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Administrative Officer concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Panchayat President concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Panchayat Secretary concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Panchayat Member concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Panchayat Ward Member concerned if I am called for interview. I am willing to produce the Character Certificate from the Village Panchayat Ward Member concerned if I am called for interview.

Yours faithfully,

G. Moothyalu Chetty

Kanchipuram

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(General Serial No. 29)

OFFICE OF THE
8964.
22 MAR 86
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DEWAN OF MYSORE.

1886.

Reg to be returned immediately
23-3-86

From The Sub-Dy Officer
Hassan

To Chief Dewan
The Secretary to the ~~Chief Commissioner~~
of Mysore ~~Department.~~

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SECTION S.A
FILE No. 15/85-86
SERIAL No. 16

Dated 18th March 1886.
Despatched Camp Bélur
Received

Enclosures None

General No. 8 } 1885-86.
Camp No. 47

Dewan's Notification No: 210 of the 1st Instant regarding the Ganja Contracts for 1886-87.

With reference to the above I beg to report that no tenders have been received in this office regarding the Contract of Ganja.

Sub-Dy Officer
Hassan

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G. 42

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(General Serial No. 31.)

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From Circular

(23)

To All Deputy Commissioners

Dated 3 April 1886

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 74-87
No. 5

SECTION C. A
FILE NO. 10 of 85-86
SER AL NO. 17

Intimates that the Ganja Contract for the Province for the Current Official year 1886-87 has been given to Messrs Davy & Co for a sum of Rupees 5000, exclusive of local cess —

To immediate reply — The Deputy Commissioner is requested to cause the requisite agreement executed by Messrs Davy & Co in favor of the Govt in conformity with the terms of the Notification published in the Gazette, and forward the same to this Office at an early date —

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(General Serial No. 29.)

1886

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE
2028
18 JUN 86
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From Nee Dy: Commissioner
Mysore District.

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SECTION S. A
FILE No. 10f85-86
SERIAL No. 12

To Chief Secretary

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore.

Dated 7th June 1886.

Despatched 8th.

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 178 } 1886–87.
No.

Chief Secretary's No. 74-75 dated 3rd April last.

I have the honor to forward the agreement executed by Messrs Davy &c: as requested in the above.

I have &c:

Nee Dy: Commissioner
Mysore Dist

(General Serial No. 31.)

Rept 61

1886.

From

To The ~~Deputy Commr~~ Controller
~~Mysore~~

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Dated 22 June
Despatched
Received

SECTION V. A.
FILE No. 10785-86
SERIAL No. 19

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 2456
No, 138

Forwards for custody in the Treasury the agreement dated 26 May 1886 executed by Mr. Davy Muddappah & Co. Ganja Contractors for the Mysore Province.

B. O'

Draft

Mackay

1842

Reper

1-7-86 Rl

Submitted

8-7-86

Recd 8-7-86

Requests the report by June & transfer the deposits & bond: Copy to Bangalore Rly.

9/7/86 -

(General Serial No. 29.)

1886-87.

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From The Dy Commissioner Bangalore District

To The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore.

(26)

Dated 30th June 1886.

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. D 265 } 1886-87.

Sir

I have the honor to request that as all transactions in connection with the Ganja Contract of the Province are carried on in this District the Dy Commissioner of Mysore may be asked to transfer the amount deposited by the Contractors on this account to this District.

SECTION S. A

FILE No. 10/85-86

SERIAL No. 20

2. The Bond executed by Messrs Davy and Co should also be sent to this office, to enable me to see that the terms of the agreement are duly attended to by them

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
A Macmullen
Dy Commissioner

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(General Serial No. 31.)

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From

(27)

To The Dy Comm
Sangaree District

SECTION S.A.
FILE No. 10785-86.
SERIAL No. 27

Dated 12th July 1886.
Despatched
Received Dy 8

Enclosures No.

General No. 2853
No. 129

The Dy Comm is requested to transfer to the Dy Comm Sangaree District the account deposited by Messrs Day & Co - on account of the Gunja Contract of the Province for the year 1886-87 - as all transactions by order in connection with the Gunja Contract are carried on in that Dist

Dy

G. 42

(General Serial No. 31.)

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From

(28)

To The Hon'ble Secretary Govt

SECTION S. A

FILE No. 10 85-86

SER'AL No. 22

Dated 12th July 1886.

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 2854

No. 152

Hon'ble: 265-G 30 Vide

With reference to the above forwards for information the accompanying copy of docket No. 2853 G 12th inst. the Hon'ble Secretary Govt.

2. The bond executed by Messrs Dacoy Khadakchand & Co has been forwarded to the Comptroller for custody in the Treasury.

Ref

Q. 12

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(General Serial No. 31.)

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OFFICE OF THE 3001.
19 JUL 86
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DEWAN OF MYSORE.

From Messrs Davy & Co
Gaya Contractors
Mysore Province

To

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SECTION S. A.
FILE No. 10785-86
SERIAL No. 23

Dated 12th July 86.
Despatched
Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 726.
No.

Requesting permission to allow the Contractors or their agents to visit such shops where illicit practices are being carried on without the Excise Officer being present.

Secretary to Govt

Secretary to Govt
Excise Dept

28/7/86

Saying in reply that this safe in the interests of Govt & of the Contractors to retain the 6th Class shops at Srirangapatna being considered undesirable & leaving the Contractors in contact with the Retail vendors

7/9/86. BOR.

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No. 726.

From.

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Messrs Davy & Co
Gauja Contractors
Mysore Province

To The Chief Secretary
to the Dewan to H H
the Maha Raja
Bangalore

Sir.

We have the honor to refer to para VI of the conditions of the Gauja Contract Bond from which it will be seen that the Contractors or their Authorized Agent are only allowed to inspect the drug shops in conjunction with the Excise Officer. We need scarcely say that this interferes very materially with the interests of the Contractor, as they may often hear of illicit doings at a particular shop, and by the time Notice has been sent to the Excise officer, or an opportunity occurs for the Excise officer to visit such shop all traces of such illicit practices are of course obliterated.

We thus beg that you will allow the Contractors or their authorised Agent to visit such shops whenever it-

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may be deemed necessary.

We have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt Servants.

Daz & Co

14th July
1886
Mysore

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G. 42

(General Serial No. 31.)

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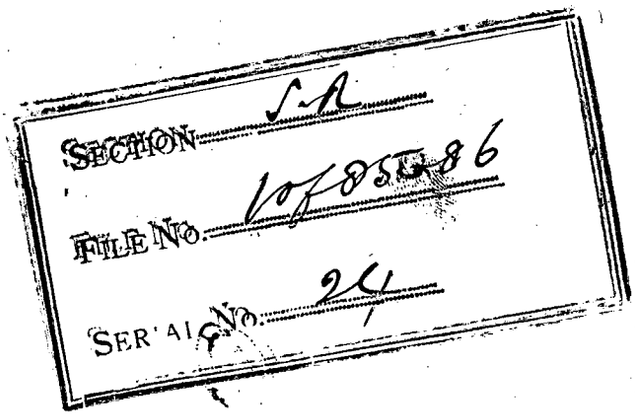
From The Chief Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

To

Messrs Davey and Co.
(30) Lyanja Contractors
Mysore Province

Dated
Despatched } September 1886.
Received



Enclosures No.

General No.

C No. 472

Their letter No: 726 dated 14th July 1886 requesting permission to allow them or their Agents to visit such retail shops where illicit practices are being carried on without the Excise Officer being present.

In reply to the above Messrs Davey and Co are informed that it is safe in the interests of Govt and of the Contractors to retain as it exists the 6th Clause of the Conditions of the Lyanja Contract Bond, it being considered undesirable to bring the Contractors in Contact with the Retail Vendors.

"By Order"

Draft

Chief Secretary

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(General Serial No. 81.)

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE
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1887.

From Messrs Davey & Co

To Collr. Kadu Canara & Collectors of the Province

SECTION S.C.

FILE No. 1785-86

SERIAL No. 25

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Dated 5 & 14 Nov 87

Despatched

Received 8 & 14 Nov 87

Enclosures No.

General No. 69

No.

Requesting to issue orders to the Deputy Commr Bangalore Dist to return Sheem Ware Ganja deposited

Submitted
B.L.
14-11-87

Enclosed

They write to bring to notice that the last instalment duly fell due on the 10th (each instalment falling on the 10th of the 20 days of each month) shall have paid 25 per cent only on the entire sum of the Government amount. Their petitioners submits that there was delay in complying with the completion of the manufacturing, & therefore the penalty for default is for fifteen days of deposit

15/11/87

Submitted

3/12

3/12

Messrs Davey & Co

Bangalore

Sirs:—

In reply to your letter dated 14th instant, I am directed to inform you that the Collector of Kadu Canara has been called upon to return the amount deposited by you on account of Ganja duty.

I am Sirs
Your obedient servant
B. Lewin
Secy to Govt

Mysore 1st Aug 85

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Messrs Davey & Co.
Late Ganja Contractors.
Mysore Province

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Dewan to
H.H. the Maharajah of
Mysore.

We beg to have the honor to bring
to your favourable consideration that
although the terms of our late Ganja Contra
of the Mysore Province was expired long a
yet owing to our misfortune the Banga
Deputy Commissioner did not settle the
account of our Ganja Deposits which
still left unpaid to us, and the accoun
of excess sales of Ganja, during our Contra
time, is also taken to no consideration
requested that
+ in accordance with the conditions la
down in our Ganja Contract Bond
vide para III. our excess sale accounts should
settled
We came to understand verbally
through the Deputy Commissioner of
Bangalore, and the Special Assistan
Abkary & Excise Department, to say,
that as we are failed to furnish
with accounts in the specified time

our claims for Ganja Deposits, and regarding the excess sales, the quoted condition of the Bond cannot be admitted for the failure of furnishing the Ganja excess sale accounts as soon as our contract terms were over.

We beg to bring to your favourable consideration that on the expiration of our Ganja Contract, almost all the Coomastas who were in our employ sought separate livelihood when they knew that our Ganja business was renewed and given to another.

As we had to collect accounts from all the parts of the Province, we got at last the required accounts with great difficulty and delay.

Under these circumstances, we most respectfully beg you to be so good as to issue your orders to the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore, to have our Ganja Deposits returned to us, and regarding the excess sales it may be settled as per condition III of our Ganja Contract Bond, and in accordance of our accounts already furnished to them.

We have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obt Servts
Davy Brodie & Co

5th November 1887
Mysore

SECTION S.R (34)
FILE NO. 10 of 85-86
SUB NO. 26

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r no 49 dated 5th Nov
1887 from Messrs Davy & Co,
Late Ganja Contractors of the
Mysore Province, requesting
that orders may be issued to
the Dy Commr Bangalore Dis
to return their Ganja Deposit

der thereon: Comp no $\frac{5870-2}{327}$ of Mysore 7 December

lled up in No 95.

the Dy Commr, Bangalore
District, is referred to
para 5 of this Office No 5714-
T 14
dated 26-12-87 and informed tha
if the outstandings due by
the late Ganja Contractors
be paid, the bonds held in depos
may be returned.

Messrs Davy and Co may
be served with a notice to
effect that if the amount
due by them be not paid within
a month from the date of
service of notice, the bonds in
deposit will be sold and,
after deducting therefrom
the amount due to Govt, the
balance or surplus if

any refunded to them.

1888

Draft 10/1/88 Under Secretary

To, The Dy: Comm Bangalore
Messrs Dary & Co
Comptroller

To the Dy Comm^r, Bangalore Dated 8—1—88

No 5872/149½

Copy to Messrs Dary & Co

Lake Ganja Contractors. No 5870-A/327 ✓ 5872/149½ ✓

Comp^r of Imports